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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

HARUO MACHIDA ET AL. )

Appln. No.: 09/407,300 )

Filed: September 29, 1999 )

For: SYSTEM FOR DISPLAYING )  
CONNECTION CONDITION OF )  
DEVICE PROVIDED ON )  
NETWORK :

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 22.

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